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CIVIL WAR MANUSCRIPTS

The State Archives has many military records that were generated by government agencies (see circulars 4 and 7). In addition, the Archives has received from private sources a variety of personal papers by or relating to soldiers and veterans. These manuscripts include things like certificates, diaries, discharges, journals, letters, and miscellaneous documents. This circular identifies all such materials in the possession of the State Archives that pertain to the Civil War.

STATE CSA	<u>UNIT</u>	<u>RG #</u>	NAME OF SOLDIER	<u>RECORD</u>
	Chaplain	70-18	Ferdinand S. Petway	Journal
		<u>Illinois</u>		
Infantry	16th Regiment, Company A 55th Regiment, Company C 66th Regiment, Company D	87-159 69-110 70-99	Nelson Ainslee Myron Ganning Lorenzo A. Barker	Letters Letters Diary
		<u>Indiana</u>		
Infantry	100th Regiment, Company D	58-11	Henry Mishler	Discharge
		Kansas		
Cavalry	7th Regiment, Company K 7th Regiment, Company K 7th Regiment, Company K	61-9 61-9 74-87	Clarence L. Houseman William G. Houseman Clark A. Preston	Letters Letters Letters
	<u>M</u>	assachusetts		
Cavalry Infantry	1st Regiment, Company E 37th Regiment, Company B	70-97 81-60	Sherlock A. Lincoln Asa L. Landon	Documents Letters
		<u>Michigan</u>		
Artillery	1st Regiment, Battalion F 1st Regiment, Battalion I	91-482 69-39B	Byron S. Paddock Jonathon Miller	Diary Letters

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Cavalry	1st Regiment, Company D	76-134	Morris Dilts	Diary D:
	1st Regiment, Company D	70-101	James W. Howd	Diary
	1st Regiment, Company H	58-24	John B. Wolf	Discharge D:
	2nd Regiment, Company D	67-111	John Vogel	Diary
	3rd Regiment, Company B	69-110	William H.H. Cook	Letters
	3rd Regiment, Company B	69-110	Phineas R. Freeman	Letters
	3rd Regiment, Company B	69-39B	Elias Fulmer	Letters
	3rd Regiment Company B	70-90	Charles A. Gunn	Diary
	3rd Regiment, Company F	71-174	Stephens S. Delano	Diary
	3rd Regiment, Company F	71-174	Charles H. Goodrich	Letters
	3rd Regiment, Company F	70-57	James W. Hoffman	Diary
	3rd Regiment, Company F	71-174	Theodore Reese	Letters
	4th Regiment, Company B-E-H	89-535	Henry Albert Potter	Diary
	4th Regtiment, Company B-E-H	91-480	Henry Albert Potter	Letters
	5th Regtiment, Company C	69 - 39B	Daniel Dillabough	Letters
	5th Regiment, Company K	69-105	Darwin H. Babbitt	Letters
Engineers &				
Mechanics	1st Regiment, Company I	88-86	John L. Rolison	Diary
Infantry	1st Regiment, Company F & S	63-53	James D. Elderkin	Certificates
	1st Regiment, Company C	69-121	John Emory Crane	Letters
	2nd Regiment, Company C	70-100	Cornelius Byington	Diary
	2nd Regiment, Company E	70-102	Charles F. Smith	Diary
	2nd Regiment, Company G	54-3	Andrew J. Weston	Ledger
	2nd Regiment, Company K	69-121	Alphonso Crane	Letters
	3rd Regiment, Company A	60-7	Charles D. Lyon	Papers
	3rd Regiment, Company B	55-16	George Veddar	Certificates
	3rd Regiment, Company G	9	Samuel Matthews	Letters
	3rd Regiment, Company I	69-39B	Frederick C. Miller	Certificates
	3rd Regiment, Company K	60-7	Alfred Henry Slocum	Documents
	4th Regiment, Company C	56-22	Abram R. Wood	Ledger
	5th Regiment, Company F & S	62-27	Robert A. Everitt	Documents
	5th Regiment, Company C	7	Thomas Larabell	Letters
	5th Regiment, Company D	88-51	Jeffery W. Perry	Diary
	6th Regiment, Company F & S	70-114	Frederick A. Cutler	Letters
	6th Regiment, Company E	88-87	William Hogue	Documents
	6th Regiment, Company F	69-124	Giles B. Allen	Letters
	6th Regiment, Company H	56-6	Daniel Hulbert	Letters
	6th Regiment, Company I	71-142	Amos D. Avery	Discharge
	7th Regiment, Surgeon	22	Cyrus Bacon	Diary
	8th Regiment, Company A	67-126	Edson Conrad	Letters
	8th Regiment, Company B	69-39B	Daniel Dillabaugh	Letters
	8th Regiment, Company B	69-110	Daniel Dillabaugh	Letters
	8th Regiment, Company B	58-24	Elbridge Franklin	Passes
	8th Regiment, Company C	55-24	Solomon Kroll	Letters

STATE Michigan Infantry, cont.	<u>UNIT</u>	<u>RG#</u>	NAME OF SOLDIER	RECORD
manuy, com.	8th Regiment, Company I	69-106	Hiram Spear	Discharge
	9th Regiment, Company C	60-25	Delos H. Ennis	Discharge
	9th Regiment, Company D	61-9	Jacob M. Houseman	Letters
	10th Regiment, Company B	58-26	Benjamin B. Redfield	Papers
	10th Regiment, Company C	58-26	Elsie R. Redfield	Papers
	10th Regiment, Company H	68-22	Edwin F. Holmes	Diary
	13th Regiment, Comapny B	68-60	Dewitt C. Kenyon	Documents
	13th Regiment, Company B	82-5	Lemuel Osborn	Letters
	13 th Regiment, Company H	89-258	George W. Myers	Diaries
	14th Regiment, Company D	85-54	Sylvanus Bachelder	Letters
	14th Regiment, Company D	55-24	Francis Fuller	Letters
	14th Regiment, Company F	63-54	Jacob Strickle	Certificates
	14th Regiment, Company F	87-159	Nelson Ainslee	Letters
	14th Regiment, Company I	58-3	Frank Button	Letters
	14th Regiment, Company I	71-101	Walter Carr	Discharge
	14th Regiment, Company K	60-25	Peter F. Garrison	Discharge
	15th Regiment, Company G	68-144	Daniel S. Ingersoll	Discharge
	16th Regiment, Company F & S	62-27	Robert A. Everett	Documents
	16th Regiment, Company C	56-16	George Dallas Sidman	Certificates
	16th Regiment, Company C	60-24	George Dallas Sidman	Papers
	17th Regiment, Company B	69-39B	George B. Chamberlain	Pension
	19th Regiment, Company F & S	70-17	Henry C. Gilbert	Documents
	19th Regiment, Company F	69-39B	F.E. Marsh	Parole
	20th Regiment, Company F & S	70-61	Clement A. Lounsberry	Documents
	20th Regiment, Company A	55-7	William A. Barnard	Letters
	20th Regiment, Company A	70-98	William A. Dewey	Diary
	20th Regiment, Company A	55-24	Jerome Kroll	Letters
	20th Regiment, Company D	61-25	George Bexton Arnold	Diaries
	21st Regiment, Company A	61-9	George W. Houseman	Letters
	21st Regiment, Company G	61-9	Arza Batholomew	Letters
	22nd Regiment, Company F	11	William W. Collins	Discharge
	23rd Regiment, Company G	58-20	Alonzo D. Hunt	Papers
	24th Regiment, Company D	60-25	Miscellaneous	Papers
	24th Regiment, Company D	68-85	William J. Speed	Documents
	24th Regiment, Company I	61-21	George C. Gordon	Letters
	25th Regiment, Company B	68-60	Charles W. Slayton	Documents
	26th Regiment, Company B	58-25	Lucius H. Ives	Communication
	26th Regiment, Company E	69-97	William H. Horton	Diary
	27th Regiment, Company I	78-18	Abner B. Wood	Documents
Lancers	1st Regiment, Company C	69-39B	Leonard H. Hunt	Discharge

New York					
Artillery	10th Heavy, Company A	76-35	Joseph H. Savage	Letter	
Infantry	27th Regiment, Musician 90th Regiment, Company A 90th Regiment, Company A 136th Regiment, Company B	69-110 57-20 57-20 57-6	George M. Cook James F. Brooks John S. Brooks John C. Wheaton	Letters Letters Letters Letters	
<u>Ohio</u>					
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Infantry	40th Regiment, Company F 67th Regiment, Company I 188th Regiment, Company K	58-2 75-37 63-51 nited States	Benjamin Balderson Erwin Welsh Lyman H. Hutton	Discharge Letters Certificates	
Cavalry	1st Regiment, Company L	59-18	Eugene Joseph Stocking	Letters	
Infantry	5th Colored.Regiment, Company B 25th Colored Regiment, Company G 11th Regiment, Company A 102nd Colored Regiment, Company B	63-18 63-18 58-21 94-01	William G. Cole Solomon Frister Joseph Elder Alfred White	Letters Certificates Papers Certificate	
	<u>Unknown Origins</u>				
		69-39 69-39	David Lyons Samuel Lyons	Letters Letters	

Civil War Photographs

The State Archives of Michigan has a fairly large collection of photographs of Civil War soldiers and veterans. The individual portraits range from Civil War era carte-de-visite images of young men to photographs of aged veterans. These are arranged alphabetically be name in the general Biography Index drawers, and separately by unit and then alphabetically by name in a special card catalog drawer. Both indexes are located in the Reference Room of the State Archives. There are also some photographs in the collection of Civil War units and miscellaneous groups of soldiers, but the persons in these larger photographs are not identified individually. The same is true of reunion pictures of Civil War units, mostly taken prior to World War I.